



Los Angeles County Commission on Disabilities

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NOMINATION APPLICATION RUBEN ANTHONY RIOS CREATIVE ARTS AND DESIGN 25th ANNUAL ACCESS AWARDS LUNCHEON

The nomination application is to include a biography of the nominee. Copies of this form can be downloaded from the Commission's website at www.laccod.org

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

NAME: _____	EMPLOYER: _____
ADDRESS: _____	WORK ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____ STATE: ____ ZIP: _____	CITY: _____ STATE: ____ ZIP: _____
HOME PHONE: _____	WORK PHONE: _____
PHONE: _____	FAX: _____
E-MAIL: _____	JOB TITLE: _____

CRITERIA

Nominees must have demonstrated artistic capabilities in all art forms for or by people with disabilities, made artistic contributions or designs on behalf of individuals with disabilities. Eligible criteria also include a demonstration of leadership and commitment to promote equality and access for people with disabilities; effected support and policy to enable people who are disabled to live, work, and participate fully in Los Angeles County, worked on behalf of individuals with disabilities, made significant contributions towards equality for individuals with disabilities, and served as a role model to individuals with disabilities. Previous members of the Commission may be nominated for their current professions and other activities relating to advocacy for individuals with disabilities. Previous recipients are not eligible for this award.

(See list at: www.laccod.org)

Applications for nominations may be received from the community and Commissioners.

NOMINATION DUE DATE BY: June 6, 2016

NOMINATOR: _____	DATE: _____
ORGANIZATION: _____	JOB TITLE: _____
ADDRESS: _____	HOME PHONE: _____
CITY: _____ STATE: ____ ZIP: _____	WORK PHONE: _____
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FAX: _____	

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PROCESS OF SELECTION

The Annual Access Awards recognizes individuals who are outstanding role models for over **4 million** people with disabilities in the County of Los Angeles. District Awardees are selected by each Los Angeles County Supervisor and Community At-Large Awardee is selected by the Commission on Disabilities in the category - **Ruben Anthony Rios Creative Arts And Design Award**. All nominees will be rated on a scale of 1-4 for each of the following areas below. The highest overall score will receive the award nomination.

NOMINEE _____ CATEGORY _____

Please describe your Nominee's participation in the following areas in relation to the category chosen:

1. *My nominee has worked on behalf of individuals with disabilities by:*

2. *My nominee has made significant contributions towards equality for individuals with disabilities by:*

3. *My nominee has served as a role model for individuals with disabilities by:*

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4. *How has your nominee demonstrated an attitude of empowerment, positively influenced and helped individuals with disabilities to forge ahead:*

Reason(s) for Nomination, additional comments or more specifics:

Completed forms may be submitted to the Commission on Disabilities at laccod@bos.lacounty.gov or mailed directly to:

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